

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2376

Chapter 24, Laws of 2006

59th Legislature
2006 Regular Session

COST-SHARING IN MEDICAL PROGRAMS

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/7/06

Passed by the House February 8, 2006
Yeas 74 Nays 24

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate February 28, 2006
Yeas 34 Nays 11

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Approved March 9, 2006.

CHRISTINE GREGOIRE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Richard Nafziger, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2376** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

RICHARD NAFZIGER

Chief Clerk

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By House Committee on Health Care (originally sponsored by Representatives Clibborn, Morrell, Murray, Wallace, Cody, Schual-Berke, Simpson, Green, Sells, Ormsby, Appleton, Fromhold, Hunt, Kenney, Kessler, Lantz, Miloscia, Moeller and Williams; by request of Governor Gregoire)

READ FIRST TIME 01/18/06.

1 AN ACT Relating to repealing cost-sharing in medical programs; and
2 amending RCW 74.09.055.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 74.09.055 and 2003 1st sp.s. c 14 s 1 are each amended
5 to read as follows:

6 The department is authorized to establish copayment, deductible, or
7 coinsurance, or other cost-sharing requirements for recipients of any
8 medical programs defined in RCW 74.09.010, except that premiums shall
9 not be imposed on children in households at or below two hundred
10 percent of the federal poverty level.

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